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## MANY REPORTS OF VILLA'S DEATH REACH U. S. OFFICIALS

## RUMORS CONFLICT **CONCERNING FATE**

U. S. Expedition Headquarters Trying to Find Truth About **Outlaw Still Eluding Capture** 

MANY TROOPS ARE NOW **BELOW AND ON BORDER** 

Despatch Says Pershing Has 12,000 and 18,000 More are Near Line

BULLETIN. (Associated Press by Pederal Wireless) COLUMBUS, N. M., April 11,-Lieut. E. S. Gorrell, U. S. A., of the aviation corps, who has arrived from the south after a long flight, says that reports are current among the natives of Santa Ana that Villa is dead of blood poisoning, the result of wounds in the legs and stomach. Possibly this report has been spread as a ruse to deceive the Americans.

The indications are that American soldiers have surrounded a detachment of Villa men said to be cose who were carrying their wounded leader on a stretcher.

The advanced American columns are now south of Parral and Gen. Persning has his beadquarters at Sa-tevo. Carranza officials announce that they have reason to believe Villa was killed in action, and are searching

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11:-Unofficial reports that Gen. Francisco Villa is dead, together quotation, 5.83 cents. with reports as to his fate which are in direct conflict with this, have reached the Carranza embassy

These reports are supposedly from Queretaro and American officials are very anxious to get something definite as to their truth.

It is learned today that Gen. Perling now has about 12,000 troops his various columns and along the line of communication which ow stretches southward more than 00 miles. Along the border there s said to be a total of 18,000

## REPORTS CONFLICTING

HEADOUARTERS U. S. EX-EDITION, Mexico, April 11.ports have reached the adquarters of Gen. Pershing's edition that Gen. Villa is dead of the wounds he received in his light with Col. Dodd's column a ew days ago, and that his body has een buried. The American officers, scouts and soldiers are investigating the report as closely as possible. Search is being continued meanwhile for the bandit chief. A Mexican said a week ago that Gen. Villa was seen much emaciated. Another, however, reports that Villa was able to walk after he was

## DIAZ PLOTTERS DIE

Three men charged and convicted or a good travel did not appear to be of being implicated in a plot to "The Promotion Committee will be-EL PASO, Texas, April 11. aunch a revolution on behalf of Gen. Felix Diaz, nephew of the old president, were executed today in Juarez. They were Nicholas Chavazarria, Jose Bornel and Florencic Hernandez. They had confessed and implicated others.

# RATE TOO HIGH,

the Makee Sugar Company's railroad was received by the Public Utilities Commission at its meeting this after- | Kapaa, was forwarded to the commis noon and referred to its attorney,

Kapaa from the Inter-Island wharf at sion, the complaint will be referred Waller, resigned. George R. Clark, Kealia, while last year it charged but to the governor with the suggestion federal court clerk, is the other com-\$12.50 a quarter for each 12 tons, ac. that he take immediate steps to have missioner. cording to the complaint. Settlement the charges reduced. has to be made weekly now, the merchants allege, while last year it was

petition signed by 16 merchants of land.

Additional and overnight telegraph news on Page 9.

### **NEW YORK STOCK** MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market to-day, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireless: Yester-Today. day.

	EV St. SECTION FOR PLANTING STREET, UT SUCH CO.	. name .	
	Alaska Gold	20	20
ij	American Smelter	101%	102
S	American Sugar Rfg	11034	109
t	American Tel. & Tel	1281/8	128
73	American Copper	86%	87
9	Atchison	1031/4	103
ı	Baldwin Loco	1051/2	106
Ŋ	Baltimore & Ohio	87	87
ı	Bethlehem Steel		479
١	Calif. Petroleum	*23	23
H		1671/4	*167
	C., M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	941/2	94
ì	Colo. Fuel & Iron	443/4	44
А	Crucible Steel	925%	92
7	Erie Common	361/8	36
ij	General Electric	1677/8	167
ä	General Motors	ALCOHOLD COMMON TO	<b>t</b>
9	Great Northern Pfd	120	120
ű	Inter. Harv., N. J	1101/8	*110
9	Kennecott Copper	57	57
g	Lehigh R. R	7734	78
9	New York Central	1027/8	103
9	Pennsylvania	57	56
g	Ray Consol	24	24
q	Southern Pacific	9734	97
9	Studebaker	14134	142
1	Tennessee Copper	52%	52
1	Union Pacific	1321/2	133
1	U. S. Steel	847/8	84
1	U. S. Steel Pfd	11734	117
ı	Utah	8254	82
1	Western Union	8934	90
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\*Bid. †Ex-dividend. †Unquoted.

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Announcement From San Francisco Means Much to Hawaiian Business

"The latchstring to Hawaii will always be hanging out for the Pacific Mail. It is pleasing to see an old riend return," said Albert P. Taylor, secretary of the Hawaii Promotion Committee, this afternoon when asked what effect the coming of the Pacific Wall boats would have on the tourist ravel to Hawaii. Word of the new service came last night from San uty

"With one line taken off and another line crippled, the prospects for a good tourist season this year did not ook bright. The coming of the Paific Mail boats will do much to help out. From all appearances the Pacific Mail will change the travel from a twaipahu had slashed his daughubnormal summer to a normal one. "With the three boats in operation he travel on the Pacific will not be o congested. Hawaii will secure nore tourists and the public in genral will be benefited. Before the anwould have three ships on the run to he Orient the situation was at the ame point we had last year, minus he Pacific Mail boats, and prospects

rin at once to co-operate with the Pacific Mail Company, and will do everything possible to help along in he progressive movement started by he company. The announcement that he Pacific Mail will place more ships on the run means much for Hawaii,

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### **FEDERAL GRAND JURY** INDICTS FOUR TODAY

In a partial report presented to Judge C. F. Clemons at noon today the federal grand jury returned four indictments, as follows: Oscar Nordman, baggage clerk of the steamer Sonoma, charged with having opium un possession; Yee Mun Wai, a local Chiese, charged with a similar offense; Thomas White and John McCann, charged with having violated the in-Complaint of exorbitant charges by ternal revenue laws by having narcotics in their possession.

oon and referred to its attorney, ames L. Coke.

The railroad has charged \$12.50 a week per ton for transportation of the sugar company's road is not sub
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"Gentlemen are requested not to made quarterly. camb their beards at table" is the The complaint, in the form of a notice posted in a hotel in Switzer-

> James Carrol of Tacoma, Wash. The senate committee on immigration tated at village Loos, another in Cailonce drove a motor car weighing a today ordered a favorable report upon lette forest.
>
> ton and a half down a wooden stair the house immigration bill, retaining On east front and in Balkans nothcase of 700 steps.

# MINUS LICENSE

borers for California **Now in Court** 

HIS COUNSEL CHARGES WARRANT NOT PROPER

Bondsmen, Goes to Sheriff's Office and Waits

Upon his return from the mainland

in the steamer Wilhelmina this morn-

emigrant recruiting, was remanded to determined attack on "Dead Man's the custody of Sheriff Charles H. Hill' from Corbeaux Wood, They ob-Rose and placed in detention pending tained a footing in a few small further developments in a case in the trenches but everywhere else their atcircuit court in which he is defendant. about by his being surrendered to the tacked the French positions to the Steven's detention was brought authorities by Farm Cornn, local Chi- south of Douamont, using jets of flamnese interpreter, who went on his ing liquid to combat the enemy. Here bond in the sum of \$650, following the they were repulsed with considerable bringing of four complaints against

Steven, charging him with acting as an emigrant agent without a license. Complaint against Steven was made in documents entitled "information," signed but not sworn to, by Deputy City Attorney Will Carden. On the strength of the "information" Circuit Judge Ashford signed and caused to be issued warrants for Steven's arrest

The trial has been delayed by the filing in the supreme court of a writ of habeas corpus by Steven's attorneys.

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Doctor and Attendant at Waipahu Ordered Held By Deputy City Attorney

A Japanese doctor and an attendant or mine victims. of Waipahu are held by order of Dep-City Attorney Chillingworth charged with withholding the facts in an alleged manslaughter case, whose threads are being unraveled this afternocn by police officials and the city attorney's office.

Late yesterday it was learned that ter badly in the abdomen on Sunday evening. About noon today a report came to the city that there had been a killing case at Waipahu and Deputy Chillingworth and Special Detective Harry Lake of the city attorney's councement that the Pacific Mail office went to the scene in an auto. Earlier in the day, Chillingworth, who was at Waipahu yesterday, had told of The two cases turn out to be one.

ta, was 19 years old. She was brutal- west of Zamboanga. ly stabbed by her own father at Waipahu on Sunday evening. The stab-bing occurred at Camp No. 5, Wahaiwa, on the Waipahu plantation of the Oahu Sugar Company, by whom Mu-

rata is employed. The facts in the case were not reported to the police until Monday and 10.—British hand grenade attacks in facts. It is said that the Japanese ras. physician attempted to hide certain facts which might be used against the

The woman died early this morning. Her father is said by neighbors and he himself told Prosecuting Attorteach her a lesson.

## EFFINGER APPOINTED JURY COMMISSIONER

## IMMIGRATION BILL IS

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11 .the "literacy" test.

# OF MORTAL FOES

Case Involving Recruiting La- Germans Attacking Determinedly on Both Sides of Stream Which is the Focus

> SPAIN ANGERED AT SUBMARINE LOSSES

Defendant, Surrendered By Sinking of Santanderino, Allegedly Without Warning, Stirs Madrid

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] PARIS, France, April 11.—West of ing, O. A. Steven, charged with illegal the Meuse today, the Germans made a tack was repulsed.

East of the Meuse the Germans at-

BERLIN, Germany, April 11.-Fighting was heavy today on both sides of the Meuse, the Germans attaching vigorously. They took 1231 prisoners and 22 machine-guns.

pulsed.

ground has been occupied. BERLIN, Germany, April 11 .- A re-

four other replies on various matters. back, as his ship is the Endurance, and was to head for Buenos Alres, South America. "It looks as though feeling against the Teutons has been aroused in Madrid by recent losses due to submarines, culminating in the sinking of the Spanish steamer San-

tanderino last evening, the attack being made without warning. The British steamer Elicston missing and it is presumed that she has been torpedoed.

No casualties from the sinking of vessels were reported today. Late today it was learned that an added to the day's list of submarine on the data collected by this expedi-Italian steamer, the Unione, had been

was executed today who was court are all contributing toward the volmartialed in March. No further de- umes." tails have been announced.

[Associated Press by Pederal Wireless] MANILA, P. I., April 11.-Two German steamship officers, one a resident the slashing of a girl by her father. here and the other an ex-officer of an interned German vessel, were taken from an American inter-island schoon-The Japanese woman, Yoshe Mura- er today by a British cruiser 10 miles

### GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, April Sato kinzo and Dr. T. Akiayama, who order to reconquer lost crater posiare said to have attended the girl, are tions south of Saint Eloi failed comboth held by direction of Prosecutor pletely today. During the last days, Charles F. Chillingworth as accessor- lively mine combats have occurred be-ies after the fact, for withholding the tween the canal of Labasse and Ar-

westward toward Alsace and Lorraine were encircled The enemy tried to escape by hasty retreat, but were to have been jealous of his daughter, caught by Silesian troops. Besides heavy French losses, the Germans ney Chillingworth that he wanted to captured unwounded 14 officers and 700 men, two cannons, 13 machine

> The Germans further took at several places front north of village of Avocourt and south of Ravens forest several annoying enemy positions,

> East of Meuse: In similar manner defile on southwest edge of Peppercote was cleared.

Four officers, 154 men, and material taken. Artillery duels eastward and down in air combat southwest Dam- turn to Honolulu tonight. FAVORED BY SENATORS loup, another northeast Chatteausaling. Inmates of first aeroplane dead. One enemy aeroplane precipi-

ling important happened.

NOTED EXPLORER OF ANTARCTIC THINKS SHACKLETON FROZEN IN



Sir Douglas Mawson,

Bound for London on a mission The British made a hand-grenade which includes both business for the attack south of St. Eloi, but vere re- Australian government, and conferring with other scientists in Great Britain SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Sugar, several weeks ago. He was then released on bond and the case was scheduled to go to trial in Circuit more than 36,000 French officers and that region and map its coast line, the Verdun sector. West soldiers in the Verdun sector. West Sir Douglas Mawson, one of the passenger on the Oceanic liner Ventura today.

> When informed that the Aurora, one ply to the memorandum note of the of the ships of the Shackleton expedi-United States requesting information tion, had returned to Australia since as to the sinking of the British steam- the Ventura steamed from Sydney, er Sussex has been delivered to U. S. Sir Douglas said this does not mean Ambassador Gerard, together with that Sir Ernest Shackleton has come the Endurance and Shackleton are frozen in for another year, if the ship hasn't reached Buenos Aires yet," he

"I am going to London on business partly connected with the war, and partly scientific," he added. "I will be chiefly busy there on the scientific results of my Australian expedition, from 1911 to 1914, in which we succeeded in mapping in 1000 miles of new coast line in the Antarctic region. There are now 80 specialists at work tion, and the results will be printed in 18 quarto volumes. Six of the scientists who are specializing on the ex-LONDON, Eng., April 11.-A spy pedition's results are Americans. They

Riots Caused by Liquor. Sir Douglas said, concerning the recent riots of soldiers in and near Sydney, that they resulted directly because saloons and liquor-selling hotels had been kept open until 11 o'clock at night. "The rioting, which was only the work of one day, has resulted in closing all these places at 6 o'clock every evening," he stated. "There has been no trouble whatever since the early closing hours went into effect.

The famous explorer brought news (Continued on page four)

# **LARRISON TO**

[Star-Bulletin Special by Mutual Wireless] LIHUE, Kauai, April 11 .- Governor plete cruise in 15 days." Pinkham and Territorial Hydrographer Larrison are remaining on Kauai West of the Meuse, Bethincourt and until next Saturday to finish the rouequally strong points of support south- tine matters connected with public water rights.

The Kauai Chamber of Commerce s meeting this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Governor Pinkham, in his speech, pleads for harmony among the citizens and says that the territory has not money enough for conservation and distribution of the water, but that a united Kauai could handle the problem, furnishing ample water for all lands concerned. He says he regrets

Mr. Larrison declares the governor never planned signing the licenses AMERICAN BANKING FIRM proposed by Col. Spaiding. Land Commissioner Rivenburgh Forester Judd and Engineer Furer of in Woevre. French aeroplane shot the department of public works re-

and 921,000 miles underground.

## AMENDED SUGAR BILL PASSES SENATE 40 TO 32; CHARGES OF SLUSH FUND ENLIVEN DEBATE

## Senators Works And Williams Talk on History of Citrus Tariff Reduction And Lobbying

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—The Senate this evening adopted the finance committee's plan of extending the sugartariff until May 1, 1920, as a substitute for the House repeal bill. The vote was 40 to 32, four Democrats, Broussard, Ransdell, Newlands and Lane, voting against it.

Later in the evening the bill was passed as amended without division. It will now go into conference between the two houses, unless the lower house should accept the senate amendment without objection.

C. S. ALBERT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—Senator Works of California offered in the upper house today an amendment to the Kitchin sugar bill which precipitated a long and general discussion of his proposal and prevented debate on the sugar measure itself. The Californian proposed an amendment restoring the duties on

lemons and grapefruit and much time was consumed in a general talk upon this issue. Until late in the day there was no opportunity for dis-cussion on the Kitchin bill, as amended by the finance committee. Senator Works urged a tariff of a cent a pound on grapefruit and

lemons. He asserted that when the present tariff law was being framed 'a corrupt lobby misled Congress by false representations." To reduce the tariff on lemons, he declared, was disastrous to the

American lemon industry. "One of the most corrupt efforts to control of the Meuse 26 square kilometers of world's greatest explorers, is a through legislation that ever existed," he called the movement to prevent a tariff from being imposed on these products. He said that already a \$75,000 suit had resulted from the action of Congress, a man claiming this sum was due him for his services in bringing about a reduction of the duties.

Tentative Schedule Calls For Voyage of 4 Days and 7 Hours to Mainland

Steaming time of four days and seven hours from Honolulu to San Francisco, leaving here at 10 a. m. instead of 11 o'clock at night, will be maintained this fall when the Hill liner Great Northern goes back in the Hawaiian service, if a tentative schedule proposed by General Traffic Manager Cal E. Stone of the Great Northern Pacific Steamship Company be-

comes effective. Copies of the tentative schedule were received today by mail from San Francisco by Fred L. Waldron, Ltd., the local agents. "Instead of leaving Hilo (Volcano) at midnight, the ship will remain in the harbor of Hilo until 7 o'clock the morning after arrival," says Mr. Stone's letter, "and will skirt found. the windward, or north side, of the islands of Hawaii, Maul and Molokai, thus giving our patrons a daylight view of the most strikingly picturesque portion of the islands.

"Arriving time in Honolulu 5 p. m. same day, and on the fourth day after arrival-the ship will steam from Honolulu at 10 a. m. (a daylight departure of a large passenger ship from the harbor of Honolulu is a fascinating and never to be forgotten sight even to the most blase globe trotter) and the arrival in San Francisco has been scheduled at 5 p. m. on the fourth day out from Honolulu, making the actual steaming time from Honolulu to San Francisco four days and seven hours. This new schedule makes the com-

## SENATE WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT GASOLINE PRICES

(Associated Press by Pederal Wireless) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.-Without debate, the senate today adopted a resolution offered by Senator Kenyon of Iowa to request that Attorney-general Gregory, if compatible with public interest, should submit to the senate all reports dealing with the recent investigation by the federal trade commission and departthat the talk concerning the Kapaa dard Oil corporation since the decree

## PLACES BIG CHINESE LOAN

f Associated Press by Pederal Wireless]
PEKING, China, April 11.—Lee, Higginson & Company of Boston have contracted for a \$20,000,000 industrial The death rate in the United States loan to the Chinese government and cancus of Democratic senators was for 1914 was 13.6 per 1,000, the lowest have paid one million already. The called The wiedom of this course rate ever recorded in this country. loan was placed at 97, bearing six per from a political viewpoint, was so London's telegraph and telephone cent interest. The industries which demonstrated. With but 30 out of wires extend 73,500 miles overhead are to be developed futnish the secur-

### SENATOR WILLIAMS SAYS **LEMON PRODUCERS MUST** HAVE A "SLUGH FUND"

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11—
During the debate today on the tariff bill and Senator Works' proposed oft rus fruit duty amendment, Senator Williams, who was chairman of the sub-committee which dealt with the citrus tariffs when the present law was framed, declared that the lemon producers had deluged himself and his associates with arguments and lite ture, during the framing of the mea-

"They, too, must have had a slush fund," he said, referring to Senator Works' charges.

### CORRESPONDENT ALBERT SAYS PRESIDENT'S WISH WILL BE STRONG FACTOR

By C. S. ALBERT. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31 dled. Democratic senators who believe sugar should be placed on the free list are responsible. The entire problem must be threshed out in the senate and mulled over in confe before a solution of the problem is

Whatever the final net outcome may be, the protective duty of one cent per pound will remain. There might be a time limit of four years attached to the legislation, but that means little under existing condit The \$45,000,000 in revenues derived from this tax on sugar will be more badly needed in 1920 than at present It surely is a safe prediction that government expenditures will con to grow each year and the necessity for receipts will remain.

Why Change Was Made. Here is an explanation of the causes leading up the the muddle:

When the sugar repeal bill was un-der discussion in the House, Senator Simmons and other Democratic leaders took the subject up. They tentatively agreed that in order to provide for the extraordinary expenses incur-red by increasing the army and upbuilding the navy, the sum of \$70,000, 000 must be realized from taxation of sugar. They favored a consum or production, tax of one-half a cent per pound but abandoned the plan because it proved extremely unpopular, being brought right down to the "poor man's breakfast table." Then it was determined to fix the rate at one and a half or one and three-quarters cents per pound, thereby virtually restoring the duties carried in the Payne-Ald-

When news of this contemplated senators pounced on the finance com-mittee and declared they would not approve that course. They went fur-ther and said they would oppose un-conditional repeal. They desired a mere temperary extension until condi-tions returned to normal.

With this party split in sig